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Sunt geminæ Somni Portæ: quarum—
Altera, candenti perfecta nitens Elephanto;
Sed falsa ad Cælum mittunt Insomnia Manes.
VIRG.

THERE is a certain Set of People in the World, who place the greateſt Faith imaginable in their Dreams, and will affirm they proceed from the Vigilance of a good Genius, and that to neglect the Dictates of them, ought to be placed in the firſt Rank of Vices. The Abſurdity of this Opinion is ſufficiently manifeſt; and thoſe who are not reſolv'd to ſhut their Eyes againſt the Light of Nature, will ſcarce want an Explanation of it from our Hands. As my Deſign is only to divert our Readers, I ſhall not enter on a long Argument, but ſhew the Folly of it from a Relation or two I was entertained with at the Club laſt Week.——

A Gentleman, and Juſtice of the Peace in *Northampton*, had been robb'd of a Silver Tankard; the Rumour was ſoon ſpread all over the Country, but the Thief as yet could no where be diſcover'd.——It happen'd, that an honeſt working Fellow (who uſed to place great Confidence in Dreams) having told his Wife the News that it was ſtolen, as he lay in Bed that Night, dropt into Sleep juſt after, and never waked till the Morning; when getting up, inſtead of going out (as he uſed to do) to work, he walked very diſcontented up and down the Houſe, muttering to himſelf, and often lifting up his Hands and Eyes, as in the greateſt Deſpair.——At length, *Joan* (quoth he) is not our *Jack Chandler* Conſtable this Year?——Yea (ſays *Joan*) a civil Fellow enough!——I know he is (return'd *Roger*) and would have you invite him to Breakfaſt with me this Morning; do prithee fetch him, Dear!——Well, *Joan* goes and brings him.——When come; hearkʼy, Mr. Conſtable, (quoth *Roger*) I here ſurrender myſelf and my Wife voluntarily into your Hands: We are lewd People, God knows——we have done——But do your Office; bring us before Mr.—— Juſtice,—faith! *Joan*, I intend to make a full Confeſſion.——Don't mind him, Neighbour (cries *Joan*) he only jeſts with you.——Then whiſpered in his Ear—hold your Tongue, you Fool, you don't know what a Diſgrace you may bring upon us.——I won't mind thee, indeed, *Joan* (ſays *Hodge*.) She would fain conceal her Iniquities, Neighbour;—but I'm reſolv'd upon a Confeſſion—ſo do your Office.——

Accordingly he conveys them before the Juſtice,—— and told *his Worſhip* they ſurrender'd themſelves into his Hands, to make a Confeſſion of ſome Miſdemeanours before him. True (quoth *Roger*) and now, *Joan*, I'll impeach thee.——Upon my Word, *Sir*, (ſaid *Joan*) he is out of his Senſes, give no heed to what he ſays.——Peace, Wife (return'd *Hodge*) the Devil is very ſtrong in thee.——Pleaſe before I begin, *Sir*, to command this Woman Silence.—— The Juſtice did accordingly; and *Roger* thus began;

As I hope to ſhare your Worſhip's Mercy, ſo I fairly confeſs my Iniquities, committed together with that lewd Woman. I own that my Wife *Joan* ſtole your Tankard.——Lord, *Sir!*—(cries *Joan.*) 'Tis all in vain, (cries *Roger*) I will tell.——Well, ſhe brought it me; and Satan being very powerful in me, I took it, and commended her, deſiring the firſt Opportunity ſhe had, to pilfer away the Fellow to it.——(I preſume you have a Fellow to it.) Well, and what then? (quoth the Juſtice.) Why, then——you know *Joan* lies very cloſe to me o'Nights. Ay (ſays the Juſtice) moſt Wives do. Well; and ſhe having turn'd herſelf about but twice that Night, (whereas ſhe uſed always to turn three Times) waked in the Middle of the Night, and—— Well; but what's this to the Purpoſe? (replies the Juſtice haſtily.)—S'death, *Sir!* I ſhall not have done to Night, if you interrupt me thus (quoth *Roger.*) Well, as I ſaid before, ſhe having turn'd herſelf but twice, awoke to turn herſelf the third Time, and in turning hit me with her Elbow.——Well. and what then? (ſays the Juſtice) what then? Why then, pox take her! ſhe awoke me.——Why, where's the Tankard all this while? (reſum'd the Juſtice.)——Pſhaw! don't I tell you—(ſays *Roger*) I was juſt upon the Point of ſelling it, and——Prithee, Friend, make haſte (quoth the Juſtice) and what? And what? why don't I tell you (ſays *Roger*;) muſt you have all the Story over again?—Why *Joan* waked me, I tell you, and zounds! how ſhould I know where it is now?——Lord! you han't been in a Dream all this while (ſays the Juſtice.) Take him away, and take Care of him, good Woman! And ſo diſmiſs'd them.

Another Country Fellow dreamt; when he went to ſleep the next Night, he ſhould fall into a Trance, and not wake for three Days.——Well, *Tony* tells all the Neighbourhood his Dream; and adds, he is poſitive it will happen true; and eat and drank a double Quantity that Night, that he ſhould be able to hold out ſo long; and bad his Wife (though he knew it would be all in vain) to make what Noiſe ſhe could to wake him.

Accordingly he went to Bed very quietly, ſlept very ſound that Night, but was very much baulk'd to find himſelf awake at Break of Day——But, thinks *Tony* with himſelf, what a Jeſt my Neighbours will make of me; faith! I had better counterfeit a Trance; and ſo I will.——Well, his Wife gets up, calls him, and pulls him about.——Zounds, Wife! (quoth *Anthony*) I tell thee I'm in a Trance,—be eaſy.——Lord! (cries *Dorothy*) don't make a Fool of yourſelf; I know you're awake.——Indeed I am not (quoth he) nor ſhan't wake theſe three Days.——Lord! don't pull me about ſo; go to work.——I know you'll make me ſwear;——but I tell you ſincerely I am in a Trance; ſo prithee leave me; farewell! I ſhan't open my Mouth again for three Days.——

His Wife now left him; and *Anthony* lay very ſtill that Day and the next Night, nor open'd his Lips all the while. His Wife now thought he was really in a Trance; and fetch'd a Barber-Surgeon that lived in the Neighbourhood to have his Advice.——Well (quoth he) 'tis likely enough, the Man may be in a Trance; come, let's get up all your Kettles, Porridge-pots, *&c.* and make as much Noiſe as we can.

Down goes *Dorothy* and fetches them; but all this baſe Harmony avail'd nothing; *Anthony* was ſtill aſleep. There may be Danger in the Caſe (ſays the Surgeon) and therefore we muſt apply our ſharpeſt Remedies.——I have heard that in the very Act of Cuckoldom, let the good Man be at never ſo great a Diſtance, or ever ſo faſt aſleep, he'll certainly awake.——Ha! (quoth *Dol*, pauſing a little while) well, come then!—I'll do any Thing for my poor Husband's Sake.——Thank y' kindly (quoth *Tony*, ſtarting up in a great Hurry) but I am awake without putting you to the Trial of ſo dangerous a Remedy.——I told you (ſaid the Surgeon) it was an excellent one; I warrant my Neighbour will never fall into a ſecond Trance.——No, no, (quoth *Anthony*) the Angel told me, juſt as I waked, that this would be my laſt;——and the Prophecy happen'd very true.

I ſhall only give our Readers this one Relation more. An old rich Miſer, down in *Kent*, who pretended to be very credulous as to his Dreams, paid a Viſit to a neighbouring Gentleman; and in their Diſcourſe, ask'd him if he had any Faith that Way. No (quoth the Gent.) I let them vaniſh as they come, and never trouble my Head with them.——Lord, *Sir!* 'tis a Pity you don't—— (return'd the other.) For my Part, I never dreamt upon any Thing in my Life, but it happen'd true;—and faith! I dreamt laſt Night, that—— But I know you won't heed it, ſo I won't trouble you with the Relation of it.——Well, but let's hear it however (ſaid the other) it may ſerve to divert us.——Well, in Truth (replied the other) I dreamt this ſilver Cup I juſt drank out of, was my own; and that it was firſt my Grandfather's, and by a Miſtake dropt into your Family.——But have you any Confidence in this Dream? (return'd the Gent.) Troth (ſays the Miſer) I don't know I ever dreamt a falſe one, and ſo can't help thinking it true.——Well (reply'd the Gent.) I would not harbour any Thing that was my Neighbour's, I'll make you a Preſent of it; and much Good may it do y'!——The Miſer laugh'd in his Sleeve, took it, and went his Way.——

Early the next Morning, the Gentleman returns the Miſer's Viſit.——But do you really think (ſaid he) thſt is any Thing of Truth in Dreams? Do I? (quoth the Miſer) ay, and will maintain it——Why then (ſaid the Gentleman) I ſhall dream all my Eſtate away; for I dreamt laſt Night, that Piece of Ground bordering on yours, (which really is the beſt Piece of Paſture in my whole Eſtate) I dreamt, I ſay, that is yours; and ſo am come to ſurrender it up to you, and to tell you, you may ſend your Cattle into it as ſoon as you will.——For, indeed, I only jeſted with you all the while; for, in Truth, I give as much Credit to Dreams as any Body. Ay (quoth the Miſer) they are really very true; and I'd adviſe you always to credit them——Indeed I will—(ſaid the Gentleman)—; and whatever I dream (if it is to ſurrender my whole Eſtate) I'll do my Endeavour to make it true.——You are much in the right on't (quoth the other); and ſo they parted.

The next Morning the Field was full of Cattle; and the Gentleman very ſeriouſly ſent them all to Market, and ſold them. In the Afternoon comes the Miſer inquiring for his Cattle——Lord, Sir, (ſays the Gentleman) I dreamt laſt Night that they were my own, and faith! I ſold them in the Morning.——Lord! (crys the Miſer) I never credit Dreams o' Wedneſday Night.—— But I do,—(ſaid the other) and am your humble Servant. ——Well, I've done with Dreams (crys the Miſer.)—With all my Heart—(quoth the Gent;) and ſo they parted.—Since which the Miſer has not been troubled with any more.

A true Dream.

I Dreamt,—my Dear; (quoth *Ralph* to *Joan*,
One Morning as they lay alone)
I can't help laughing, faith!—I dreamt,
Our Neighbour *Charles* was impotent.——
There is no Truth in Dreams (ſays *Joan*);
And whilſt I live I'll credit none.——
But afterward (quoth *Ralph*) I dreamt,
For all that he was impotent,
He got aſtride, my Dear, on thee;
And made a ſhift to cuckold me.——
Good luck! (cry'd *Joan*) I never knew
A Dream before that happen'd true. *P. B.*

This Week arrived the Mail from Parnaſſus, *and brought us an Account,*

THAT at a General Council of the Muſes, held by their Preſident *Apollo*, ſeveral Matters were debated on; and that *Melpomene*'s Chamber-Maid was brought to the Bar: Againſt whom was read the following Indictment:

That ſhe, the ſame *Melpomene*'s Chamber-Maid, did moſt notoriouſly, in her Miſtreſs's Abſence, with a falſe Spark of her pretended Miſtreſs's Fire, inſpire *C—y C—r* towards the Compoſing a very bad Ode;—and that this Abuſe had been often put upon this Gentleman.

Upon due Conſideration, it was decreed, that the ſaid Chamber-Maid be ſeverely reprimanded, be fined a whole Twelve Month's Wages, and not be capable to ſerve the Muſes for ſeven Years.

Something being muttered by Mr. *Fielding*'s Muſe, in Favour of the ſaid Ode, his Preſidentſhip ordered it to be produced; which was done accordingly: But *Apollo* being ſeiz'd with a Fit of the Head-Ach, the Council was adjourned to next Week.

[Price THREE HALF-PENCE.]

N. B. *We received a Packet of Poetry, which we shall publiſh the firſt Opportunity.*

To the AUTHOR *of the* WEEKLY REGISTER: *Or,* UNIVERSAL JOURNAL.

SIR,

IT has long been a laudible Example in *France*, among the Ingenious, and Men of Letters, to ſend out Queries all over *Europe*, to be anſwered by Men of diſtinguiſhed and learned Parts, with a Prize, or Reward annex'd them, to encourage the Enterprizes of Youth. And I think it great Pity ſo good a Precedent, as the Academy of Sciences, ſhould be attended with ſo few Followers; when it is certain, nothing can raiſe ſo great an Emulation among Men, as the Deſire of Praiſe gained by an early Knowledge in uſeful and polite Learning: That prompts a Youth to exert his Faculties, and often is the Parent of ſolid and beautiful Productions.

Something of this Nature has been awhile handed about in Manuſcript, and attributed to a very fine young Lady: But be that as it will, the Queries are ſo beautiful, that they have cauſed abundance of Application among our *Beaux Eſprits*; every one is ambitious to reſolve ſome of them. In that Number is your humble Servant; who would think himſelf very much honour'd by the Author of theſe Queries, might he have an Opportunity to anſwer the following Ones, *viz.*

1. Whether Speech *(ab origine)* be a natural Gift, or an acquired Art?

2. Why is our Breath viſible in the Winter, and not in the Summer?

3. Which is the moſt noble and durable Paſſion; that of Love between the different Sexes, or the Platonick Love between the two intire Friends?

4. Why is Spring-Water freſh, juſt coming from the Salt Seas?

5. Was *Melchizedeck* born of ordinary Generation; if ſo, Who were his Father and Mother?

6. What is the magnetick Virtue of the Load-ſtone, Amber, and other electrick Bodies?

7. Where is, or was, Paradiſe ſituated, when *Adam* and *Eve* were formed?

8. Whether the divine Intelligences, or Spirits of juſt Men departed, have any viſible Shape or Form?

9. What Sort of Fruit was forbidden to our firſt Parents?

10. If a Man ſhould throw himſelf down from the Top of a high Tower, Doth he fall to the Ground by Attraction, Compreſſion, or Gravity?

11. Where is the Soul of Man, an active Principle, when he's aſleep? Or how employ'd?

12. Whether a Fœtus be capable of Reſpiration?

13. Whether Stones and Water grow like other Vegetables?

14. Whether Souls be traduced from Parents to Children, or pra-exiſtent, and created with the Angels; and whether one Soul has any ſuperior Qualifications to another?

15. Whether all Fiſhes were deſtroy'd at the univerſal Deluge, as well as other Creatures?

16. Whether Glaſs be porous like other Metals; and if poſſible to be made malleable, as ſome have related?

17. Whether the Actions of Bodies proceed from mere Mechaniſm, or the immediate Impulſes of a thinking Being?

I am, Sir,

Your Humble Servant,

JOHN COSTEKER.

SATURDAY, *December* 23.

YESTERDAY a Man digging a Vault near *Grosvenor-Square*, the Earth fell in upon him, and he was ſeveral Minutes before he could be got out; but he was ſo miſerably bruiſed, and almoſt ſmothered, that his Life is deſpaired of.

The ſame Morning a Boat was overſet near *Barn Elms*, occaſioned by running foul of a Weſt-Country Barge, which lay at Anchor; by which Accident 50 Gallons of Brandy, &c. were loſt; but the Waterman and one Paſſenger were ſaved with much Difficulty.

Robbery. Laſt Thurſday Night a Countryman was robbed by a Foot-pad in Soldier's Cloaths, between *Hamburg* and *Speen*, who took from him between eight and nine Pounds.

Commitment. Two Men to the *Gatehouſe*, for ſtealing large Quantity of Lead.

Preferments. Yeſterday came on the Election of a Lecturer of St. *Mary at Hill*, in the room of the Rev. Mr. *Gwyn*, deceaſed; when 14 Gentlemen put up for the ſaid Lecturefhip, and were reduced to two, *viz.* the Rev. Mr. *Brooks*, and the Rev. Mr. *Seaward*; Mr. *Brooks* was choſen by a Majority of 14 Votes.

Death. On Wedneſday the 6th Inſtant died at *Geneva*, *Nathaniel Norbury*, Eſq; Governor to the Right Hon. the Earl of *Darnley*.

MONDAY, *December* 25.

Private Letters from *South-Carolina* ſay, that Mr. *Thomas Morriſon*, late a Broker of *Exchange-Alley*, being diſorder'd in his Senſes, drowned himſelf there on the 13th of *October* laſt.

Laſt Friday the ſeveral Claimants who had entered a Caveat againſt the Will of *Richard Norton*, Eſq; who died the Beginning of this Month at his Seat near *Portſmouth*, and left his real Eſtate, being near 6000l. *per Ann.* and alſo all his perſonal Eſtate, upwards of 60,000l. to the Parliament of *Great Britain*, to be diſpoſed of for charitable Uſes as they ſhould think proper, were heard before Dr. *John Bettesworth*, Judge of the Prerogative Court of *Canterbury*, when a Commiſſion of Appraiſement was decreed, and Notice was ordered to be given to all the Biſhops of the ſaid Proceedings.

This Day ſeveral large Cheſts and Boxes of Money were brought in a Waggon under a ſtrong Guard to the Pay-Office at the Horſe Guards, from the Seat of the ſaid Colonel *Norton*, being the perſonal Eſtate ſo bequeathed, and depoſited in the ſaid Office.

On Friday Night laſt Mr. *Eberall*, an eminent Taylor, being at the *Half Moon* Tavern in *Cheapſide*, News was brought him of his Niece's being delivered of a Baſtard Child, which ſhe had put into a Box to ſmother it, but was prevented, which ſo ſurprized him, that he died immediately.

Letters from *Gibraltar*, dated the 5th Inſtant, mention the following Advice from *Mequinez*, by Way of *Tetuan*, *viz.* That an *Engliſh* Ship, with a conſiderable Number of *Chriſtians* on board, having been brought into *Sallee*, by one of their Cruizers, the *Britiſh* Conſul ſet out for *Mequinez*, to ſollicit her Releaſment of the King, taking with him a *Jewiſh Rabbi*, named *Salome Namias*, ſkilled in the Language, and a Friend to the *Engliſh*, who went from this City about four Years ago, to reſide ſome Time at *Sallee*, as a Factor to ſome *Jew* Merchants, leaving his Wife and Children here: On his Arrival at Court with the Conſul, they were admitted to an Audience, and the *Rabbi* labouring hard to induce the Emperor to reſtore the Prize, Admiral *Perez*, late Ambaſſador to the States of *Holland*, publickly accuſed him of ſending early Intelligence of their fitting out Privateers, and with what Deſigns, to *Gibraltar*, from whence it ſoon was ſpread among the *Chriſtians*, and averring that the Cauſe of their Cruizers being ſo unſucceſsful, was chiefly owing to *Salome Namias*, and this Charge being ſupported by others concerned in the Cruizers, the King declared he ſhould be burnt alive. On this the *Jews*, who are pretty numerous in thoſe Parts, offer'd 40,000 Ducats to ſave his Life, he being a Perſon greatly eſteemed by them, but the King would not hearken to them, yet twice offered him his Life, on Condition he would abjure his Religion, but the *Rabbi* deſpiſing Life on thoſe Terms, was accordingly burnt; and altho' the *Jews* offered 4000 Ducats for his Bones, that Requeſt was denied them, and the Fire was kept three Days, in order to conſume them intirely. The King ordered Soldiers to go to *Sallee*, and ſeize upon his Houſe and Effects for his Uſe, by which many of the *Rabbi*'s Employers will be great Sufferers. His Wife ran mad on receiving this News.

Seals and Exceptions before Hillary Term, 1732.

Friday, Jan. 12, Firſt General Seal. Saturday 13, Monday 15, Rehearings and Appeals. Tueſday 16, Wedneſday 17, Thurſday 18, Exceptions. Friday 19, Second General Seal. Saturday 20, Monday 22, Petitions.

On Thurſday laſt his Majeſty in Council was pleaſed to appoint the following Sheriffs, *viz.*

Hertford,	Thomas Floyer, of Brent-Pellam, Eſq;
Stafford,	John Dolphin, of Shenſton, Eſq;
Suffolk,	Alexander Bence, of Thorrington, Eſq;

Robberies. On Saturday laſt Mr. *Jones*, a Maltſter, at *Ware*, returning home from *London*, was attack'd by a ſingle Highwayman near *Cheſhunt*, who robb'd him of a Silver Watch and 15 Guineas.——On Sunday Night laſt Mr. *Rider*, an Apothecary in *Ayre-ſtreet*, *Piccadilly*, was knocked down by two Street-Robbers in *Duke's-Court* near St. *Martin's* Church, who took from him a Silver Watch and 8s. and beat him moſt unmercifully into the Bargain.

Deaths. On Friday laſt came Advice from *Paris* of the Death of the Counteſs Dowager of *Seaforth*, in the 98th Year of her Age; whoſe Son was in the Rebellion at *Preſton*.——Laſt Thurſday Sevenoke died at the *Bath*, the Rev. Dr. *John Davies*, Rector of *Kingsland* in *Herefordſhire*, and Præcentor of the Cathedral Church in St. *David's*.——On Saturday Morning died *Joſeph Thurſton*, of the *Inner-Temple*, Eſq;——On Friday laſt died at *Sevenoak* in *Kent*, *John Wild*, Eſq;——Thurſday laſt died, at his Houſe in *Pall-Mall*, *Thomas Simpſon*, Eſq;

Bankrupts. William Lloyd, of the Town of *Carmarthen*, in the County of *Carmarthen*, Mercer, Tobacconiſt, and Shop-keeper.——*John Demſter* and *Thomas Demſter*, late of *Hampton-Road*, in the County of *Glouceſter*, Chapmen and Co-partners.——*Stonier Parrott*, late of the City of *Coventry*, Coal-Merchant and Chapman.——*Joſeph Richardſon*, late of *Cirencester*, in the County of *Glouceſter*, Dealer in Wool and Chapman.

TUESDAY, *December* 26.

Yeſterday being *Chriſtmas* Day, the Knights of the Garter, Thiſtle, and Bath, appeared at Court in their Collars of their reſpective Orders; their Majeſties, the Prince of *Wales*, and the three eldeſt Princeſſes, were at the Chapel Royal at St. *James's*; the Right Hon. the Earl of *Orkney* carried the Sword of State to and from the Chapel; and the Rev. Dr. *Gilbert*, Dean of *Exeter*, Sub-Almoner and Clerk of the Cloſet to his Majeſty, preached the Sermon; and their Majeſties and the Royal Family received the Holy Sacrament from the Biſhop of *London*.

On Saturday Night laſt the Corpſe of Mr. *John Gay*, was interr'd in *Weſtminſter Abbey*; the Service was read by the Biſhop of *Rocheſter*, the Choir attending with the uſual Ceremonies: The Pall was ſupported by the Right Hon. the Earl of *Cheſterfield*, the Right Hon. the Lord *Cornbury*, the Hon. *George Berkley*, the Hon. *Lewiſon Gower*, Eſq; General *Dormer*, and *Alexander Pope*, Eſq; the Funeral being attended by his Grace the Duke of *Queensberry*, and other Perſons of Diſtinction.

Her Grace the Dutcheſs of *Richmond* having miſcarry'd, lies ill at the Duke's Seat at *Goodwood* in *Suſſex*.

Robberies. On Saturday laſt the *Anabaptiſt* Meeting-Houſe in *Glaſs-Houſe-ſtreet*, St. *James's*, was broke open in the Night-time, and robbed of all the Plate and Furniture.——On Saturday laſt in the Afternoon, a Highwayman well mounted on a Sorrel Horſe, robbed two Gentlemen upon *Mitcham-Common*, of their Watches and about 25l.——On Saturday Morning about Two o'Clock, ſome Rogues broke into the Houſe of Mr. *Sherlock*, a Lighterman at the *Bank-Side*, near St. *Saviour's Southwark*, and ſtole all his Plate, to the Value of 80l. and a large Parcel of wearing Apparel.——On Saturday Evening a Coach going to *Hackney*, was attack'd by a ſingle Highwayman on *Cambridge-Heath*, who took from the Paſſengers two Silver Watches, and 20s. in Money.

Marriage. On Thurſday laſt Mr. *Thomas Langton*, a *Portugal* Merchant, was married to Miſs *Stretton*, Daughter of Capt. *Stretton*, of *Mile-End*, a young Lady of a handſome Fortune.

WEDNESDAY, *December* 27.

We hear the late Duke of *Norfolk* has left to all his Servants who had 10l. a Year and upwards, a Years Wages and Mourning, and to thoſe who had under 10l. a Year, two Year's Wages and Mourning, beſides ſeveral charitable Legacies to ſeveral poor Families, to whoſe Maintenance his Grace in his Life-time did largely contribute.

Yeſterday a Man going through St. *James's-Park*, he walked in the *Mall*, upon which the Centry by St. *James's* Houſe bid him come out, and he refuſing, the Soldier went up to him; upon which the Fellow ſtruck him in the Face, and the Soldier in Return ran him into the Shoulder with his Bayonet, and ſeized him, A File of Muſketeers coming from the Main Guard, they were both carried before the Hon. Lord *James Cavendiſh*, who was Colonel of the Guard at St. *James's*. His Lordſhip was pleaſed to diſcharge the Fellow, he appearing to be in Liquor, and asking Pardon for his Offence in ſtriking the Soldier on his Duty.

The ſame Day a Boy about ten Years of Age, flew from the Weathercock of *Weſtminſter-Hall*, to the *Blue-Boar* in *Old Palace-Yard*.

We hear that a fine Monument is order'd to be erected to the Memory of the late Right Rev. Dr. *William Bradſhaw*, Biſhop of *Briſtol*, in the Cathedral Church of that City.

Commitments. Yeſterday a Man was committed to the *Newgate* in *Southwark*, charged on the Oath of an Accomplice, with having committed ſeveral Robberies on the Highway.

Preferment. The Rev. Dr. *Geekye*, Chaplain to the Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor, is preſented by his Lordſhip to the Vicarage of *Alhallows Barking*, in the room of Dr. *Gaſcarth*, deceaſed.

Bankrupts. *John Hobbs*, late of *Botolph-Lane, London*, Orange Merchant.——*James Brown*, of the Pariſh of St. *John Wapping*, in the County of *Middleſex*, Baker.——*Ames Avery*, of *Devizes*, in the County of *Wilts*, Drugget-maker.——*Daniel Wall*, of *Maningtree*, in the County of *Eſſex*, Shop keeper and Chapman.

THURSDAY, *December* 28.

Yeſterday a *Habeas Corpus* was iſſued out, and ſent down to *Briſtol*, with a Guard, to bring up the Captain who is confined for the Murder of one of his Sailors of that City, in his Voyage from *Africa*, to be tried at a High Court of Admiralty for Murder, which will be held in *February* next.

One Day laſt Week a Tradeſman's Wife in *Biſhopſgate-ſtreet* was ſafely delivered of a fine Boy and Girl; and the next Day his Maid-Servant fell into Labour, and was brought to Bed of a Boy and Girl alſo.

Dublin, Dec. 19. Yeſterday *Martin Money* and *William Maguirk* were tried and found guilty of High Treaſon, by inliſting Men for Foreign Service, and received Sentence to be hanged, drawn and quartered.

Laſt Saturday Evening a Man who works at a Wharf the Bottom of *Garlick-Hill*, being at a Publick Houſe there, drank half a Pint of Geneva, likewiſe a Second, and then a Third, after which he went up Stairs, and died immediately.

A fine Organ is now building to be put up in *Fulham* Church, by Subſcription of ſeveral Gentlemen of that Pariſh: toward which we hear that the Right Hon. Sir *Charles Wager* gives 50 Guineas.

Robberies. On Tueſday laſt about Four o'Clock Mr. *Moon*, Mr. *Clark*, and Mr. *Southward*, the firſt a Graſier, and the two laſt Tradeſmen of *Holborn*, were attacked near *Gally Corner* about two Miles beyond *Barnet*, by two Highwaymen, who robbed them of Money and Notes to a conſiderable Value, and told them if any Body ſhould attempt to rob them on this Side *Barnet*, the Watch Word was *Fire*; and accordingly about half a Mile on this Side *Barnet* they were attacked by two Highwaymen, who demanded their Money; but they gave them the Watch-Word, and they let them go without ſearching them, only asking how much their Brothers had taken from them.——On Tueſday laſt the Houſe of Mr. *Smith*, in *Baldwin's-Court* in *Cloak-Lane*, was broke open and robbed of Plate and wearing Apparel to a conſiderable Value.——On Monday laſt two Country Farmers going over *Putney-Heath*, were attacked by four Highwaymen well mounted, who took from them upwards of 70l. and made off in the Road towards *London*.

Commitments. A Man to *Newgate*, for breaking open a Box, and ſtealing 34 Guineas.——A Woman to *Newgate*, for Felony.

Marriage. Yeſterday Sir *John Gifford*, Bart. of *Carey-ſtreet*, was married to Miſs *Arundel*, eldeſt Daughter and Coheireſs of *Arundel Peckling*, Eſq; a young Lady of 30,000l. Fortune.

Deaths. On Sunday laſt the Lady of Capt. *Herbert* died in Childbed, at the Lodge in *Bulſtrode-Park*, near *Gerrard's-Croſs* in *Buckinghamſhire*.——On Tueſday died at *South-Lambeth*, Miſs *Read*.——The ſame Day died at *Hornton-Court* in *Glouceſterſhire*, Madam *Ann Paſton*, a Maiden Lady.

FRIDAY, *December* 29.

Laſt Night a Man driving a Hearſe over *London-Bridge*, fell from off the Box, and being run over by the Wheels, was kill'd on the Spot.

Laſt Monday one *Halloway*, a Porter in *Golden-Lane*, ſtepping over the Threſhold of his Door, fell down and broke both the Bones of one of his Legs, and ſhatter'd it in a terrible Manner.

Robberies. On Wedneſday Night a Gentleman returning home to *Kenſington*, was met by a Soldier belonging to the Firſt Regiment of Foot-Guards, who offer'd his Service to light him home, telling him he was on Duty at *Kenſington*; when they had got a little beyond the Half-way Houſe, the Soldier knock'd the Gentleman down, and took from him his Hat and Wig and ſome Silver; the Fellow is known by the Man who keeps the Half-way Houſe, and there is little Doubt of his being taken.——The ſame Night two Gentlemen were attack'd by four Foot pads in *Fig-Lane*, as they were coming from *Hamſtead*, who robbed them of their Money.——Alſo the ſame Night a Journeyman Shoe-maker going by the Duke of *Newcaſtle's* Houſe in *Lincoln's-Inn-Fields*, was knock'd down by two Foot-pads, who robbed him of his Hat and Wig, and 9s. 8d. in Money.

Commitments. A Man to *Newgate*, for breaking open a Cheſt, and ſtealing a Bag with 970 *Spaniſh* Dollars, and other Plate to a conſiderable Value.——A Soldier to the ſame Jail, for ſtealing Books to the Value of 12s.——A Woman to *Newgate*, for picking a Gentleman's Pocket of five Guineas and a Watch.——Another Woman to the ſame Jail, for ſtealing a Watch, and ſeveral other Things of Value.

Marriages. This Week *Robert Graham*, Eſq; of *Southwarmborough* in *Hants*, was married to the Right Hon. the Counteſs of *Londonderry*.

Deaths. A few Days ſince died Brigadier General *Kellam*.——We hear from *Suffolk*, that ſome Days ſince died there the Rev. Dr. *St. John*, Rector of *Yelden* and *Shelton* in *Bedfordſhire*.——Yeſterday Morning died the Right Hon. the Lady *Francis Ozenfield*, Relict of Sir *John Ozenfield*, of *Epſom*, Bart.——On Sunday laſt died the Rev. Mr. *Richard Murſh*, Vicar of *Weſt-Cliff*, and alſo Vicar of St. *Margaret's* near *Dover*.

According to the General Bill of Chriſtnings and Burials, within the Bills of Mortality, for the laſt Year, it appears, that there were

Chriſtned		*Buried*	
Males	9144	Males	11655
Females	8644	Females	11703
In all	17788	In all	23358

Decreaſed in the Burials this year 1904.

Whereof have died,

Under Two Years of Age	9502	Dog	2
Between Two and Five	1517	Made away themſelves	52
Five and Ten	716	Murdered	11
Ten and Twenty	611	Murdered in the Pillory	1
Twenty and Thirty	1627	Overlaid	133
Thirty and Forty	2175	Scalded	2
Forty and Fifty	2121	Smothered, Strangled, or Suffocated	3
Fifty and Sixty	1741	Starved	1
Sixty and Seventy	1581		
Seventy and Eighty	974	Total	466
Eighty and Ninety	660		
Ninety and a Hundred	121		
A Hundred	3		
A Hundred and One	3		
A Hundred and Two	4		
A Hundred and Five	2		

Caſualties this Year.

Broken Leg	3	Dog	2
Burnt	1	Made away themſelves	52
Choaked with a Cherry	1	Murdered	11
Drowned	28	Murdered in the Pillory	1
Exceſſive Drinking	98	Overlaid	133
Executed	25	Scalded	2
Found dead	37	Smothered, Strangled, or Suffocated	3
Fractured Scull	1	Starved	1
Killed by Falls and ſeveral other Accidents.	55	Total	466
Killed by the Bite of a Mad			

Transfer Books. India ſhut *Dec.* 19, open *Jan.* 18. Dividend paid 29. South-Sea ſhut *Dec.* 20, open *Feb.* 9. Three per Cent 1726 ſhut *Dec.* 19, open *Jan.* 23. Ditto 1731 ſhut *Dec.* 20, open *Jan.* 24. Equivalent ſhut *Dec.* 21, open *Jan.* 4, Div. 2 per Cent. paid *Jan.* 11. Royal-Aſſurance ſhut *Dec.* 14, open *Jan.* 16.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Liſbon, Dec. 19. *Arrived* Lamb, Mulcreen; Mermaid, Byrne; Adriatick, Harris; Mary, Chip; Hope, Branſcomb; Endeavour, Green; Margaret, Roberts; Eagle, Daley; Betty, King; *from Ireland.* John, Ward; Suſana, Rodier; Thomaſin, Page; Queen of Portugal, King; Pr. Frederick, Lovell; Bethel, Long; Antelope, Verring; Briſtow, Salter; Welcome, Mulberry; Antigua Merchant, Payne; Mary, Hogles; Edward and Mary, Radford; *from England.* Gibraltar, Bodmar; Boulter, Lyon; Eleanor and Elizabeth, Land; John and Chriſtopher, Holland; Rebecca and Mary, Ouchterlong; Mary, Savage; Peace, Lamport; Samuel, Harper; Braganza, Raddon; Metilda, Wild; Champion, ——; Pr. Frederick, Groſvenor; George, Kelly; Penelope, Gardine; *from the Streights.*

Oporto, Dec. 2. *Arrived* William and Margaret, Mangles; Boulter, Rutter; John and Charles, Maccaines; Richard, Jourdan; Hope, Garrat; Hopewel, Carter; Princeſs of Brazil, Veale; Johana, Burridge; Proſperous, Friend; Mary, Kerfoot; Gallant Enterprize, Comby; Douro, Landifield; Halifax, Proctor; *from England.* Francis, Neck; *from Canſo.* Little Betty, Harman; *from Riga.* Francis and Jane, Moon; *from the Baltick.* Ruſſel, Bailey; *from Liſbon.* Fortune, Knowler; Betty, Friend; Matthew, Fenwick; Elizabeth, Vere; *from Hamburgh.* Exchange, Steed; Francis and Anne, Darby; Unity, Maddocks; Robert and Samuel, Blanch; Mary and Anne, Brown; Molenaux, Beard; John, Jely; *from Newfoundland.*

HOME PORTS.

Liverpool, Dec. 19. *Arrived* Seaflower, Hayze; *from Virginia.* Anne, Sandiford; *from Antigua.*

Briſtol, Dec. 23. *Arrived* Content, Adlam; Henry, Vaugham; Don Carlos, Hudion; Eſcape, Pynn; Cheſter, Amos; Brogden, Jones; *from America.* Corſley, Hancock; Newton, Wooles; Queen Mary, Gilbert; and Samuel, and Luke; *from the Streights.* Knaveſtock, Rutter; Spaight Merchant, Roche; *from Oporto.* Terra Nova; *from Bilboa.*

Dartmouth, Dec. 23. *Arrived* the Marſeilla, Somers; Sarah, Jappie; *from the Streights.* Lamb, Jely; Mary, Towden, *from Newfoundland.* Harboard, ——, Barnaby, ——, *from Yarmouth.* Betty Galley, Rabier; St. Dennis, Brocgue, *from Dunkirk for the Streights.* Wiſdom, Guireen, *from Bordeaux.*

Weymouth, Dec. 25. *Arrived* the Pemberton, Jones, *from Leghorn for Amſterdam.*

Exmouth, Dec. 22. *Arrived* the William, Burin, *from Sebaſtian.* Sarah, Bowles, Thomas and Mary, Mills, *from the Groin.* John and Elizabeth, Paul, *from Denia.* Waterford Merchant, Dabb, *from Briſtol.* Topſham, Kinſman, *from Liſbon.*

Dover, Dec. 19. *Arrived* the Mary, Wright, *from Minorca for Amſterdam.* Tobias, Brown, *from Riga for Morlaix.* Expedition, Whitwood, *from Denia for Oſtend.*

Deal, Dec. 27. *Arrived* the Loyal Catherine, Brown, *from Exon.* Livonia, Hitchins, *from New England.* Samuel, Hannay, *from Cadiz.* Merriman, Ellis, *Maryland.* Induſtry, Shephard, *Boſton.* Mayflower, Search, *from Maryland.* Valentia Packet, Watſon, *from Cadiz.*

Gravesend, Dec. 27. *Arrived* the Providence, Flurio; Notingham, Peddie; Nevis Merchant, Hayes; Cleaveland, Ruſſel; Kirby, Perry; Clarendon, Crawford; Lignenca, Toll; Oriana, Dodſon; *from the Weſt Indies.* Wigmore, Banks; Brothers, Ray; George, Crosby; Charming Nancy, Dennis; Trial, Seahouſe; Burk, Anderſon; Proſperous Anne, Speedwel; Butt, ——; Cambridge, Crocker; Elizabeth, Scutt; Vine, Read; Conſtantine, Wright; Good-Intent, Hewit; Pelapſico, M. Lux; Elizabeth, Wenlock; Catherine, Swaddle; Matthew, Camplin; *from America.* Abraham and Arthur, Bray; Durel, Durel; Seaflower, Wills; Mermaid, Rogers; Oriana, Pelham; Rachael, Colcoatch; Mary, Saunders; Elizabeth, Fanning; Concord, Macliſh; Endeavour, Kent; Friendſhip, Combs; Anne, Brown; Italian Merchant, Carteret; Pearle, Diamond; Neptune, Shephard; Levant, Woolliſtone; Wigmore, Ford, *from the Streights.* Speedwel, Spurrier; Adventure, Bailey; Teneriffe, Everton; Jane, Mullins; Mermaid, Moriarly; Bugbys Hole, Radford; Levant, Anſtis; Sheerneſs Man of War, Filch; Richmond, Jordan; St. George, Roberts; Morris, Curtis; Octavia, Lewis; *from Spain and Portugal.*

Outward bound Ships remain in the Downs, Dec. 27, 1732. The Falmouth and Roſe Men of War. The Normington, Rigby; Royal Guardian, Hoadley; Lethieullier, Shepheard; *for the Eaſt Indies.* Valentine, Glover, Two Siſters, Kemp; Potamak, Shakeſpear; Charming Sukey, Daviſon; Goodwill, Preſwick; Harriſon, Turner; Anne, Randal; Berry, Belcher; Weldon, Davis; *for America.* Catherine, Boſtock; Morrans, Higgins; Charming Salley, Fiſher; Morris, Maſon; Virtuous, Grace; Power, Jennet; Crookendon, Huddons; Bay, Coulter; Pretty Patſy, Chapman; Britannia, Moulton; Elizabeth, French; *for the Weſt Indies.* Betty, Bannerman; Dove, Fotheriſgil; *for Guinea.* Providence, Woodward; *for Madeira*, Don Carlos, Clark; *for the Canaries.* John and Elizabeth, Maning; *America.* Croney, Auguſtus; Ceſar, Hampton; Francis, Abbot; Vanham, Fry; Thomas and Suſana, Hill; Suſana, Foſter; Boneta, Adams; Genoa, Langworth; Queen Caroline, Cook; *for the Streights.* Saliſbury, Smith; Betty, Norcomb; London, Wenlock; Marqueſs, Gardner; John, Tyſon; Mercury, Burgis; Levingſton, Dormer; *for Spain and Portugal.* Jenkins, Cook; Booth, Hallow; *for Ireland.* Amarillis, Bennet; Phillippa, Duſtoe; *for the Weſt of England.*

FOREIGN NEWS.

Hague, Jan. 2. N. S.

WE have an Account from *Dreſden* of a military Expedition lately made there, which has furniſh'd

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Letter for Diverſion, both to Court and City; ch is as follows: On the 13th of laſt Month, towards the Evening, the Prince Royal's own Regiment of Foot being drawn out on the Parade, certain Companies were ſelected from the reſt, and had Orders to be under Arms at two o'Clock the next Morning, each at their Captain's Quarters, and provided with every Neceſſary for a long March. Many ſolemn Adieus were taken of their Friends, and many the parting Kiſſes given their Wives; for they doubted not but the March would take Place the next Morning, nor knew to what Country they were detach'd, nor what Dangers to face. At length comes the appointed Hour, and with it every Man and his Knapſack: The Officers throw themſelves at the Head of their Companies, and each files off a different Way thro' the City. A Soldier is always prepar'd; he cares not what Rout he takes, nor wherefore; his Part is only to obey; and in the Obſcurity of an Expedition his Valour the brighter ſparkles. Such are the *Saxon* Veterans: They began their March at the Word given, and ſigh'd only for the ſuppos'd diſtant Enemy; but, arriv'd at proper Parts of the Suburbs, they were bid to halt, and, ſtrange Command! to inveſt certain Bawdy-Houſes, whom Length of Iniquity had made notorious. The brave Soldiers aſſault, they make a Breach, they enter, make Priſoners of many Nymphs and naked Gallants, and, in ſhort, conduct them to the Town-Houſe, midſt the Acclamation of the Populace, who were by this Time got together in great Numbers. No leſs than 46 Pairs were thus led thro' the Streets in great Triumph; but the poor Ladies, waked ſomewhat before their Time, had ſcarce an Eye open to ſee their Diſgrace. Strange were the Diſcoveries which aroſe from this Expedition, and not a few the Catos and Lucretias which the aſtoniſh'd Wives and Fathers found among the Surpriz'd. The next Day the Judges ſat upon the Examination of theſe Criminals, and having gain'd from ſome of them the Intelligence they wanted, the reſt ware diſcharg'd, who had only the Affair of Gallanty to account for.

The frequent Robberies that are committed in *Dreſden* and the neighbouring Country, gave Birth to this Search, and the Manner of; and not only great Information is gain'd by the Expedition, but many of the Rogues are taken, which a vain Purſuit had follow'd for ſeveral Months before: Some of the Bands too that infeſt *Bautzen* and the Upper Luſace, have been by theſe Means apprehended. We have Advice from *Bautzen*, that the Number of Robbers which they have lately ſeized there is ſo great, that the Magiſtrates have been obliged to enlarge their old Priſons, and even to build new: The whole Body of Peaſants ſeems one univerſal Accomplice: And what ſtill augments the Horror, is that amongſt the moſt notorious of thoſe Thieves, have been found certain Perſons who were always pointed out for Examples of Probity and Honour. The ſaid Magiſtrates of *Bautzen* have made Diſcoveries at different Times of ſeveral Depoſits of Booty in Money and Jewels to the Value of 80,000 Crowns.

Hague, Dec. 5. N. S. Since the Death of King *Victor-Amadeus*, the Situation of Affairs between the Courts of *Verſailles* and *Turin* ſeems to be entirely changed. The Princeſs of C————n, a good intimate Friend of the C————l's, who was the late King's ſecret Miniſter at *Paris*, had a very conſiderable Intereſt, and the Miniſtry at *Turin* were ſo accuſtomed to purſue the Maxims of that Prince, that the Court of *Sardinia* ſtill obſerved Meaſures with that of *France:* But the Princeſs of C————n's Intereſt is dwindled; and the Miniſters, who have now nothing to fear from the King who had it always in his Power to reconcile himſelf to his Son, have taken off the Maſk, and the Balance turns to the Side of *Vienna*; even to ſuch a Degree, that little Regard is paid to the Inſtances of his moſt *Chriſtian* Majeſty in favour of the City of *Geneva*; but under Pretence of taking Meaſures againſt the Smugglers, Troops are ſent into the Territories of the Chapter. Thus does Count *Philippi*, the Emperor's Miniſter at *Turin*, triumph; and the Marquis *de Vaugrenan* may perhaps be recalled, unleſs Affairs ſhould take another Turn. The Magiſtrates of *Geneva* have implored the Interceſſion of the Proteſtant Cantons, their Allies, and have made new Repreſentations to his moſt *Chriſtian* Majeſty.

The Pope's Nuncio at *Paris* is very much out of Humour with the *French* Miniſtry, by no Means approving their Conduct with regard to the Affairs of the Parliament: But thoſe Miniſters ſeem to be in no Pain about it. On the contrary, it was the Cardinal's and Monſieur *Chauvelin's* Advice, that thoſe Diſputes ſhould be adjuſted without the Participation of any Foreign Court, particularly that of *Rome*; it being an Affair purely Domeſtick, with which no Perſon has a Right to concern himſelf, and on which the Peace of the Kingdom does entirely depend.

It is reported, that the Count *de Rottemburg* has Orders to inſiſt upon a Regulation at the Court of *Spain*, of what is due to that of *France*, for the extraordinary Expences of the late War; and to take Care, when that is done, to ſettle the Terms of Payment: But theſe Reports have been ſpread ſo often without Effect, that they meet with little or no Credit.

The States of *Holland* ſeparated Yeſterday, after having given their Conſent to a Reduction of the Army. This Reform is to conſiſt in a Suppreſſion of the laſt *Extraordinary Petition*; that is to ſay, in caſhiering the Augmentation then made, amounting to eight or ten Thouſand Men. The great Penſionary *Slingelandt*, who knows the Exigencies of the State, no Body better, and ſteadily purſues its true Intereſt, was a great Stickler againſt this Reduction in the preſent Juncture, when certain thick Clouds ſeem to be gathering, and may poſſibly diſturb the preſent Calm of *Europe:* But there were powerful Members of the Regency, whoſe Inſtructions were poſitive. However, the able Miniſter prevailed ſo far, that this Reform is not to take Place till the Month of *May* next, and the Pay is to be continued upon the preſent Foot till then.

Their Noble Mightineſſes at the ſame Time conſented to the Equipment of a Squadron of ten or twelve Men of War, deſigned for the *North*, as ſome will have it; but this is more than the moſt confident of them can tell. However, the Republick will thereby be enabled to fulfil her Engagements, if any Broil ſhould happen; neither can ſhe be ſaid to diſarm, while ſhe ſupplies by Sea what ſhe takes off by Land.

Our laſt Letters from *Italy* adviſe, that the Infant Duke will ſpeedily return to *Florence*, under Pretence that the Air of *Parma* does not agree with him, but in Reality becauſe his Miniſters cannot agree with the Dutcheſs-Dowager, and will not be dependent. That Journey (they ſay) was chiefly undertaken in Hopes of receiving much ſooner the Act of *Venia Ætatis*, which the Court of *Vienna* ſtill refuſes to grant. On the other Hand, an Expreſs from the *Imperial* Court has delivered ſome Diſpatches to the Great Duke of *Tuſcany*, with which his Royal Highneſs ſeems not over-well pleaſed. Thus is the Diſcontent general in moſt Parts of *Italy*, but eſpecially where the *Spaniſh* Troops reign; neither the Officers nor the Soldiers being well beloved; and the *Tuſcans* not daring to ſay their Soul is their own, ſince the Arrival of thoſe unwelcome Gueſts.

The Plague is ſaid to rage all along the *Eaſtern* Coaſt of the *Adriatick* Gulph.

Paris, Jan. 3. We have Advice from *Cadiz*, that the Marchioneſs of *Santa Cruz* was arriv'd there from *Oran*, with all her Family; and that the King of *Spain* has aſſign'd her a Penſion for Life of 1200 Piſtoles a Year: His *Catholick* Majeſty has been alſo pleas'd to confer on her eldeſt Son a Government worth 800 Piſtoles, a Company of Foot on her next Son, and has moreover promis'd to provide for the reſt of the Children as they arrive at proper Ages for Employments.

Hamburgh, Dec. 19. Several dangerous Diſtempers reign in the Neighbourhood of this City, and ſweep away abundance of People. The Garriſon of *Magdebourg* is ſo leſſen'd by Sickneſs, that they are not able to form the uſual Guards; and at *Breſlau* ſeveral People have died of Pains in their Sides, generally preceded by great Colds.

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Leghorn	50 ¼
Genoa	53 ¼ a ⅜
Venice	48 ⅞
Lisbon	5 5 ½ a ⅝
Oporto	5 4 ½
Antwerp	35 9 a 10
Dublin	11 ⅛ a ¼

AMSTER. *Dec.* 29, N.S. *Exchanges on*	
London	34 5 a 5 ½
Ditto at Sight	34 7 ½ a 7
Hamburgh	32 ¼ a ½
Paris	55 ⅜ a 56
Bourdeaux	55 ½
Cadiz	102 ¼
Madrid	82 ⅛
Bilboa	81 ⅞
Leghorn	88 ⅛ a ¼
Genoa	93 ½
Venice	86
Lisbon	45 ¼
Agio *per Cent.*	3 ⅞
Antw. Loſs *p. c.*	2 ⅛

Hops	
1730 *l.*	19 to 3 *l.*
1731 5 *l.*	to 6 *l.* 10
Coals	26 28
GRAIN *per* Quarter.	
Wheat	25 26
Rye	12 15
Barley	13 16
Oates	10 13
Tares	18 20
H. Beans	18 20
H. Peaſe	16 18
Boil. dit.	20 22
MALT.	
Pale	21 23
Brown	19 21

STOCKS	
S. S.	104 ⅞
Annu.	109 ¼
Bank	150
India	156, 156 ¼
3 p. C.	101 ½ a ⅝
MBan	115
Afric.	35
Y. Bu.	2 ¾
R Aſſ.	105 ¼ a 6
L. ditt	13 ⅛
ECop.	1 *l.* 18 *s.*
Wditt	1 *l.* 13
N. Bank Cir	5 *l.* 2 *s.* 6 *d.*
IBon.	5 6 *s*
S. S.	2 *l.* 10 *s*
3 p. C. I. Bonds	2 *l.* 7 *s.*

CHRISTNED		
M. 167	} In all 332	
F. 165		
DIED		
Under	2	209
From 2 to	5 Old	48
5	10	15
10	20	16
20	30	51
30	40	51
40	50	64
50	60	52
60	70	59
70	80	25
80	90	12
Upwards	90	12
Bu. M. 300. F. 321.		
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